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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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NOTES

File No. 43-11

FILE HEADING.

Extension of Regn I of 1895 (Prevention of cruelty to animals Regn) to the villages on the Mysore Mercara Road

From

The Private Secretary to H.H.

No. P.O 341 Dated 10/4/12 Received 20/4/12

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J 2847			

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Forwards letter dated 4/4/12 from J. Charlton bringing to notice the cruel manner in which the tonga ponies are treated on the Mysore Mercara Road and requesting Govt to take suitable action to prevent such ill-treatment.

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Regn. I of 1895 (The prevention of cruelty to Animals Regn.) applies to Bangalore and to such other places or areas as the Govt. ~~may~~ by notification in the Official gazette may direct. The Regn. has by notification been extended to following all the remaining District Head Quarter towns, the towns of Chikkaballapur, Chintamani Bowringpet and the to the Kolar Gold Fields, and also to certain the villages in the Malavalli and Madya Taluks which are on the Madras side of the Road between Mandya and Sivanasamudram

The file is put up herewith &.

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The chief Court may be asked to state the number of cases prosecuted under the Regn. within the last few years as figures are not available in this Office The criminal Administration Report only gives the total number of cases under all Local Rules and Regulations other

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	Reg^n of 1869 refd to in the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Reg^n of 1895? Put up the Govt of India Not^n applying that act to Mysore. Is the Notification in force now?
	(3) Are there any special Bo. Indian Acts recently [Look up Police and Mun^l Acts applicable to Pres^y towns]
	Early
	4/5/12
	Submitted with a draft D.O. to the Registrar, chief Court. The other references are being looked up.
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	6/5/12 & 2 Sdg
	6/5/12
2	D.O. No J 3245 dated 7/5/12 to the Registrar chief Court, Mysore Requests him to furnish Govt with information as to the number of cases prosecuted in the several courts of the state under the

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provisions of the Prevention of cruelty to Animals Regn, 1895.

9 Submitted with reference to points (2) and (3) of the Asst secy's note ~~on page~~ (para 6 of the Note).

The Bengal Regn II of 1869 (an Act for the Prevention of cruelty to Animals) as extended to Mysore by Govt of India Notn No 74-S 572/1878 is herewith put up. This has been repealed by Regn I of 1895. (see foot note to the Regn. The ~~Provisions~~ in the Madras city Police Act. the Madras city Municipality Act. the Bombay city Police Act and the Bombay city Municipality Act were referred ~~to~~ to. Only the Madras city Police Act, 1888, contains certain provisions re cruelty to Animals vide Sections 53 to 58 of the Act. The other enactments do not contain provisions on the point. Section 9 of the Stage Carriages Act, 1861 also contain provisions re cruelty for ill-treating animals and this Regn is applicable throughout British India

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1) Extract from para 5 of the memorial addressed to H.H. the Maharaja by Mr Smith Mrs Charlton dy 25/X/12:—

"5 Lastly, I would implore your Highness to punish upon officials such as

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Tashildars, Bazaar Chowkies &c, enforcing the existing laws against cruel treatment and overloading and that some enquiry should take place as to the possibility of amending such laws."

11 Dewans remarks :—

Please take up para 5 and deal with it in the Legislative Branch

2d/ HR 18/12/11.

12 d/d. As regards animals generally section 59 of the Police Regulation seems to provide the necessary protection against their ill treatment; and all that is required seems to be to work the provision properly by issuing suitable instructions to the police &c. No amendment of the law seems to be required. May a copy of this extract be forwarded to the Asst Supt of Police with a view to his issuing suitable instructions to the Police and he be requested to add a para in the annual Police administration report about the

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3.	D.O. No. ~~3332~~ dated 18th June 1912 from the Registrar Chief Court.

Informs that during the past 5 years only 18 cases of prosecution under the Prevention of cruelty to Animals Regulation 1895 have been reported 12 of which being from the Bangalore city Magistrate's court and 6 from the Mysore city Magistrate's court.

18 Submitted. This information was ordered to be ~~got~~ obtained by the secretary. in

(Please see page 2 of the Notes)

CL(58) SW(11)
18/6/12

19. There are enough legal provisions to protect the animals from cruelty.

5 (1) The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Regulation 1895 has been Extended to Mysore town and under Sec 3 of that Regn overdriving, overloading and other kinds of ill-treatment of animals are made punishable. But this Regulation has only a restricted local operation as it can be Extended only to local areas in which there is a

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Resident Magistrate". In other words ill treatment within any town and such other taluq Hd. quarter towns thro' which pollanjis (cargo runs (E.g. Hunsur) can be punished. Ill treatment on the way outside the limits of these towns can not be punished under the Regulation

(2) The recently enacted Public Conveyances Regulations pass to the Municipalities (and in the case of non-municipal towns to the Govt) to prohibit the Employment in public Conveyances of animals which by reason of disease, infirmity, wound Sore or other cause are unfit for such Employment (Sec 7 (c)). Overloading may be prevented by the exercise of the powers under clause (k) of Sec 7.

But there is no provision regarding overdriving and other kinds of ill treatment

(3) Before the powers under this Regulation can be exercised the Municipalities concerned and the Govt will have to frame bye laws and

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publish them [I believe the City Some and Bangalore city Municipalities have already framed draft byelaws and published them]

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(3) But the powers contained in Sec 57 of the Police Regn are most comprehensive and are already in force throughout the State Overworking, overloading, ill treatment, torturing are made punishable with imprisonment for one month Employment of unfit or diseased animals is not specifically mentioned but possibly it may be brought under ill-treatment. In any case the powers given by Sec 57 are sufficiently wide and if only they are properly worked by the District Magistrates Concerned the ill treatment of animals for which Pollanji's Agency is becoming notorious will soon be a thing of the past The Combined Efforts of the Municipalities and the Police Shd be sufficient to Set things right. Mr Pollanji has got Conga Services also between

* Who can use these powers under the Public Conveyances Regn about Employment of unfit animals

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Ansikan and Sakleshpur and Hadan and Mudigere Also the Jeatkas running between Kolar and Bowringpet and Bangalore and Chikballapur require attention

2 The District Magte, the Dy. Supdt. of Police and the Presidents of Municipalities may be asked to institute a few judicious prosecutions* occasionally to teach a much needed lesson to heartless Employers. If approved a draft will be put up.

22/6/12

Sec'y. 4 There does not appear to be any necessity for resorting to fresh legislation.

5 Sect 5-7 of the Prevention of Cruelty Act contains ample provision for the prevention of overworking overloading ill treatment &c of any animal. It will be sufficient to issue a circular to all District Magistrates & to the Inspector General of Police drawing their attention to the complaints of overloading &c of animals that have been received

* Under the Police Regn and the P. C. Regn

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and asking them to take action against the Subordinate Police & Peon officers to ensure the observance of Sec 57 of the Police Regn. whenever such acts of overloading, cruelty &c are brought to their notice.

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Last

1st Circular to Dewans 28/6/12

The provision contained in the Police Regulation (S.57) in addition to other Special provisions of more limited application, is quite sufficient to bring such cases to book. Fortunately instances of wanton cruelty are very rare in the Country, and so the absence of prosecutions (outside Banglore & Allepey) does not necessarily show that proper supervision is

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not exercised by the Police I think that the Ryots generally (whether playing for hire or on their own account) generally take as much (if not more) care of their beasts as of themselves; and if the Police are unduly stimulated to activity against them, it may lead to abuse. I think a Special Warning may be sent by Dept Magte to Mr Ballengee & to owners of livery stables in Bangalore, and the Police & Magistrates directed to enforce these humane provns especially against them

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and. patkas & bandy drivers
plying in large towns & from
Railway Stations

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27 Decision

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28 Leper Act

had been brought
the matter to Ministers & Secretary's
humanitarian disposed

Under

D.O.No 829/Confl

Mysore,

15th Septr 1912

To

R. H. Campbell Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,

Private Secretary

to His Highness

My Dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O. No. 341 dated 10th April 1912 forwarding for my advice, as to whether any steps can be taken to prevent cruelty to tonga ponies on the Mysore-Mercara road, a letter addressed to His Highness the Maharaja by the Hon'ble Mrs. Charlton, I send herewith the papers containing the discussions as regards the existing legal provisions for the protection of animals from cruelty & with the opinion of the 1st Councillor thereon.

2. Section 57 of the Mysore Police Regulation which is in force throughout the State provides sufficiently

for cases of beating, goading, over-working, overloading, ill-treatment or torturing of animals. This provision is sufficiently wide and I do not think any further special legislation is necessary or called for. We had better leave the matter to individuals and societies humanitarianly disposed.

Yours sincerely:

Dewar

Secy Secret Dept

Dy No 135 Secret file

To be [illegible]

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PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

The Palace, Mysore,

17th Septr 12.

My dear Sir,

I am directed to return the papers which accompanied your D.O.No.829 dated 15-9-12 and to say that it is quite clear that the existing law is adequate for the prevention of cruelty to Tonga Ponies. What His Highness is really concerned to know is whether these animals are being cruelly treated on Mysore-Mercara road and in other parts of the Province where Messrs Pallonji & Co's tongas are running. If cruelty exists one or two prosecutions will soon put a stop to it. His Highness will be glad if you will kindly take immediate action in the matter. The way to act is to depute a responsible Police Officer for a period of one month to watch the treatment of these ponies on the actual road and to institute a prosecution whenever he sees a case of cruelty. Some good may also be done by informing Mr.Pallonji that a com-

plaint has been made to the Durbar of cruelty to his tonga ponies and that the Durbar is determined to protect these animals from ill usage. Mr. Pallonji may be warned to issue strict orders to his agents, drivers and syces with a view to preventing the recurrence of such complaints. His Highness will be glad to receive a report as to the result of the action taken in the matter.

Yours sincerely,

Richardson

T. Ananda Row Esq., C. I. E.,
Dewan of Mysore,
Mysore.

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Secy

Please send the
entire file to
I/C W.O.'s for
perusal & Remd
when - the
Sketch maker
Note of the matter
has entrusted
in this Dte - & depute
a Police Officer as
desired - His name
& date of deputation
may be kindly intimated
A report
would also be
sent up by the end
of Oct by what time

Mr Ramsden Bill. He was Mr Thorne's
Partner when Accountant
Bankruptcy & Prosecution appeal
Warrants

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Answer this letter notes
& resubmit - Early

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29 Notes on the back of the D.O. No 135 dated 17/9/1912 from the Private secretary to His Highness

"Secretary

29. Please send the entire file to I.G.P. N.O. for perusal and kind return. He should make a note of the instructions contained in this D.O. and deputte a Police Officer as desired. His name and date of deputation may be kindly intimated. A report of the result should be sent up by the end of October by which time the Dasara will be over and there would have been ~~and~~ abundant opportunity to watch the effect of the warnings".

Intd D.A.R.
18/9/12

Intd "K.R.S."
19/9/12

30 "[annex this to the notes and resubmit it — early]" Intd "S.-H." 20/9/12

32 31. Submitted

(S.B.) 20/9/12

32 Forwarded

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Inspector General of Police in Mysore
for perusal and kind return after
noting in red ink the remarks of the Dewan
By Order

S Srinivasaraya
for Sec' to Govt.

20/9/12

SD
21/9/12

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Instructions noted in Remarks.
Inspl. as Bn. Cycling Battalion
Long trip to be taken
Report when in due course

26 Sept. 1912

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Submitted for information
CR (58) 6/M.C.9
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35 Await report

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	24 Extract from para 11 of the notes in G.M. 177 of 1912-13 :-
	"Write to the I.G. of Police calling for his report promised by him on the annexed file.
	page 23 of his notes in the file (Legis 43-11)
	* * * * * * * * * * * * * *
	Init K.R.S. 3/11/12
	Submitted with a draft D.O. (58) SN 11/11/12 37
	12/11/13
	D.O.
4	No 1313 dated ~~12/13~~ 13/11/12
	To C. Srikanteswara Aiyar Esq I.G. of Police
	Requests him to report early on the action taken ~~on~~ in regard to Bollonjee and co's transit ponies promised by him.
5	D.O. dated 8th Feb: 1913
	From C. Srikanteswara Iyer Esq I.G. of Police
	Informs that with the exception of 3 or 4 animals the rest are in a fairly good condition and that

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Yeps 23 of 1912

Final Draft

DEWAN OF MYSORE

D. O. No. 528/Encl

Bangalore,
22nd March 1913.

My dear Sir,

With reference to your D.O.No.135 dated the 17th September 1912 regarding cruelty to Tonga Ponies on the Mysore-Mercara road, I enclose for His Highness' information the papers relating to the subject.

The papers were sent unofficially to the Inspector General of Police and he was requested to take action on the lines suggested in your D.O. under reference. He now reports that, ~~on deputing people to watch it has been ascertained that the~~

D. O. No. 396

D.O. no. 299
1 file
Received on
28.3.13
RL

PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

The Palace, Mysore,

25th March 1913.
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Secretary

My dear Sir,

I am directed to return the papers which accompanied your letter D.O.No.528 dated 22nd March 1913 and to say that His Highness suggests that, in the interests of the Tonga ponies employed in various parts of the Province, it is desirable that an inspection should be made, by a Police Officer and a Veterinarian at least once in six months, of all the ponies which carry mails and passengers along recognised routes. His Highness hopes that by keeping a constant eye in this way on the condition of ponies the lot of these animals may be considerably ameliorated. The papers do not show whether any action was taken in regard to the three or four animals which were found to be out of condition on the Mysore-Mercara road. His Highness would be glad of your opinion on his suggestion as to periodical inspections. His own view is that these carrying companies cannot be trusted to treat their ponies humanely and that they require constant supervision.

Yours sincerely,

M.Visvesvaraya Esq.,C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore, Bangalore.

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Subd with a draft as do. in accordance with the instructions contained in Mr. Campbell's D.O. of 31/12 & a draft with it to the Lt. Gl. of Police as regards the action taken about the 4 cases in which conviction was reported to be void.

SW 12/4/13

D/ Secy

S/Sec 2/4

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~~Draft~~

2nd Councillor

WS 4/4

Draft approved by the 2nd Cr

W 12/4/13

WS 14/4 Draft 14/4

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SW 14/4 WS 4

SW 15/4

6 No G 3114-23 dated 18/4/13 to the I. Gl. of Police, Revenue Commissioner and D.C.S. of Dts directs that half-yearly inspections should be made by a Police officer of at least the rank of an Inspector

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	and a Veterinarian about the condition of the tonga horses and half yearly reports sent by the S.C.'s of those Dts where tonga service exists the first report being submitted by the end of July 1913
7	D.O. No. J.3124 dated 18/4/13 to Mr. C. Sankaranarayanan Iyer, I.G. of Police Requests information as to what action was taken in regard to the 3 or 4 animals which were found to be out of condition

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PRIVATE SECRETARY MYSORE

Fern Hill,

10th April 1912.

My dear Sir,

His Highness would be glad of your advice as to whether any steps can be taken to prevent cruelty to Tonga ponies on the Mysore-Mercara Road. I send you for reference a letter received by His Highness from the Honble Mrs. Charlton on this subject.

It would appear that the Residency are equally concerned with ourselves in this matter and it also seems to His Highness that the British India Postal authorities who run the mails to Mercara should be able to bring some pressure to bear on Mr.Pallonji.

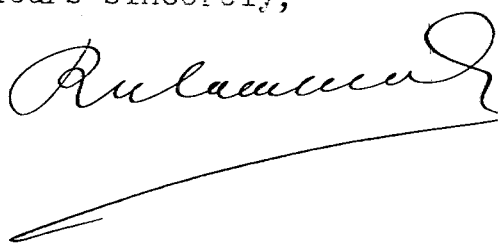
One remedy would be to legislate specially against cruelty to animals, to apply the act to the Mercara Road and to appoint a Special Inspector or Inspectors to prosecute specific cases of cruelty but His Highness is not sure how for such special legislation is feasible

There is I believe a clause in the Penal Code to protect animals from cruel usage but I think it is not

sufficiently

sufficiently wide to cover cases of over-loading and over-driving.

Yours sincerely,



T.Ananda Rao, Esq.,C.I.E.,

Dewan of Mysore,

Bangalore.

Great Western Hotel,

Bombay, April 4th.

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Encl to Legn
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Dear Maharaja,

I entrusted my petition to you to Mr. Campbell who has I expect, placed it in your hands, before now. I am going to ask you to give your kind consideration to the points I have raised in it, and I want to add a further one. It is, that I should like to bring to your notice the shocking state of Pallonjee's horses on the Mercara line and the bad treatment that they receive. They are worked off their feet. Wretched animals which had just brought in some other person's Tonga, and were so tired that they could hardly stand. were put into my mine and had to go another ten miles. This happened three times on my journey, and Pollonjee is well known for it. Please let me entreat that there shall be some supervision in future, in the interests of these defenceless creatures. I know you would feel as I do, had you seen their suffering. It went to my heart, and all pleasure in the journey was at an end. I do not think that Pollonjee ought to be allowed to continue practices which involve such cruelty to his horses. I am told that the average life of his ponies is two years! One of the horses in my Tonga came down and had several bad cuts, and its knees broken more badly than I have ever seen before, but that same horse was never given a day's rest, and as it was sent to fetch me again I informed the Police.

(Sic in orig)

Could not strict orders be issued at Mysore? and Pollonjee warned that his syces must not beat these animals continually as they do. I think this matter should not continue unrebuked.

I enjoyed so much seeing your own beaut

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beautiful horses, and should like again to offer you my sincerest thanks for your most kind thought in ordering carriages to be send for me daily. In this way I saw Mysore with so much comfort, and admired the town and surrounding country so much. I am just leaving for England, so my last letter will be to ask you to remember how much a word from one in your great position would help on the better treatment of animals in Mysore.

Believe me

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- Z. Charlton.

"Copy"

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Your most kind thought of us
in sending us Cattle against the Cold
in the Early. We had a Way
I saw Mysore but so much
comfort and a Journey
England, to my Last
Remember how much a

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given a days leat, and as
it was sent to Jolie two ayuu
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Cows for strict orders to
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Pallonye warned this has
Sycs must not beat their
animals continually as they
do. I think this Malice shows
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I enjoyed so much seeing you
over to us this house and
shows like again to offer
for my successor thanks

on the Inverness line
y Pallory's house, and the
bad treatment that they receive
They are ordered off their
feet. Medical aid which
has just brought in some
other persons dying, and here
so time that they could hardly
land, were put into my house
one has to go another two
miles. This happened three

Great Western Hotel
Bombay
April 4th

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journey was at an end.

to not think that Pallonjee
ight to be allowed to continue
practices which involve such
cruelty to their helpless wives
can bid adieu to the average
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s knees broken more badly
am sure our Lion Captain
ds this same horse was hurt

dear Mahatma ji I am
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to you & Mr Campbell who
has [illegible] places it in your
hands before I am going
to ask you to give your kind
Considerations to the proposi-
tions and I shall
Wada a further one
It is, but I should like to bring
to your notice the shocking sta

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*Diary No. of letter replied to*_____

No. J 3245

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To

~~The Registrar Chief Court~~

Date of issue 4.5.12

Signed by M S. Hiriyannaiya

Dear Sir

I am desired to request ~~you~~ to be supplied ~~with~~ as to ~~inform the number~~ of cases prosecuted in ~~the~~ courts of ~~the~~ under the Prevention of cruelty to animals Regn, 1895 during the past ~~5~~ 5 years. ~~The~~ information be regarded as urgent ~~so urgently required~~.

furnish Govt with info as to the number

I am

over.

SUBJECT.

To

V. A. Rajaratnam Mudaliar Esq.

Registrar, Chief Court of Mysore

Bangalore

6/5/12

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Serial 3
J8332

Bangalore
18th June 1912

Dear Sir,

Adverting to your D.O. of the 7th instant I am desired to say that according to the information furnished by the District Magistrates there were only 18 cases under the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Regulation, 1895, during the past 5 years. Of these 12 were in the

Bangalore City Magistrates
Court & 6 in the Mysore
City Magistrates Court.

Yours Sincerely
S. Nagaratnam

S. Hanumanaya Esq.
Asst. Secy to Govt

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No. J/313

General and Revenue Secretariat
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To

The

Dear Sir

Date of issue 15-11-12

I am desired to

Signed by Sm S. Veriyamaiya

request you to kindly

expedite the report on

~~your~~ the action taken

in regard to ~~the~~ Pollonjee

and co's transit ~~pass~~ passes promised

~~to you~~ in your ~~unofficial~~

note made in this ~~Minute~~

file No. Legis 43 of 1911-12

sent to you unofficially

on 21st Sept. 1912 (~~Dis. No. 170~~ 1912)

Yours sincerely

SW (II)

~~SUBJECT.~~

To

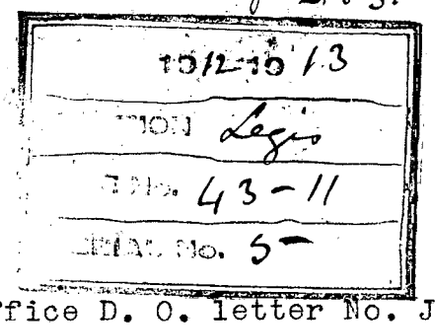
C. Srikanteswara Aiyar Esqr. B.A., B.L.
Inspector General of Police in Mysore
Bangalore

Copied 16/11/12

Camp Mysore;

8th February 1913.

DIARY No. J. 2153.



Adverting to your office D. O. letter No. J. 1313/Legis.43-11 dated the 15th November 1912, regarding Messrs. Pallonjee & Co's transit ponies on the Mysore - Mercara road, I have to state that on deputing people to watch, it has been ascertained that the ponies and mules located at the several stages on the said road within our limits have been inspected both by the Police and the Assistant Veterinary Inspector, who report that, excepting three or four animals, the rest are in fairly good condition and that no infringement of the laws in force is committed.

Mr. Pallonjee has also been warned to replace the unserviceable animals at once, and that any cruelty to animals would render him liable to prosecution.

Your

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Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

( )

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Date. of issue 18-4-13

Signed by: Mr S.P. Rajagopalachali

READ--

ORDER THEREON.—No. J 3114-23.

of ill-treatment of tonga ponies

Instances ~~having been brought~~ come to notice ~~that tonga ponies are being~~ maintained by municipalities & Municipal cantonments ~~ill-treated & are not properly taken care of~~, Government consider it desirable in the interests of these animals

over

SUBJECT.

Half-yearly
at ~~xx~~ inspections should be made by
Police officer of the rank of an Inspector at least
& a Veterinarian ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~
~~xxxxxxxx~~ of all the ponies or mules
which carry mails or passengers along
the recognised routes in the State. The
Deputy Commissioners of the districts
which tonga service exists for the
conveyance of passengers or mails, will
give their best attention to this matter
and submit a report for the information
of Govt. at the end of every six months
about the condition of the ponies or mules
used for the tongas. Their attention is
also invited to Section 57 of the Mysore
Police Regulation no V of 1908 and they
are requested to issue necessary instructions
to the Police officers to take action under
the above Section in suitable cases.

The next report should be submitted
by the end of July 1913.

SW 11/4/13 Dy Secretary 3/4

To the Ly. of Police in Mysore
" Rev Comr —
Dy Comrs of Districts.

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